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For: **DIGITAL CAMERA FOR RECORDING A COMPRESSED IMAGE
SIGNAL ON THE BASIS OF AN OPTIMAL COMPRESSION
RATIO (as amended).**

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Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action dated June 30, 2005.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

An Appendix including a Replacement Drawing Sheet including changes to Figure 4 is attached following on page 9 of this paper.